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Honorable Commissioner of Patents Mail Stop AF P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated November 23, 2004, kindly amend the subject application as follows: